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Title: MODIFIED VITAMIN K-DEPENDENT POLYPEPTIDES

The prior application is assigned of record to Regents of the University of Minnesota, a Minnesota corporation, by virtue of an assignment submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office and recorded on July 14, 1999 at 010092/0773.

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Specification	48
Claims	3
Abstract	1
Declaration	1
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This application is a continuation (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120) of U.S. application serial no. 09/302,239, filed April 29, 1999. The disclosure of the prior application is considered part of (and is incorporated by reference in) the disclosure of this application.

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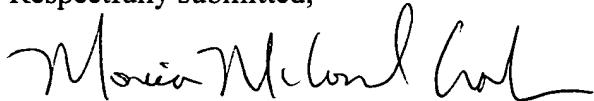
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